

# THE HONDO ANVIL HERALD.

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## ARMISTICE DAY CELEBRATED

Armistice Day, November 11th, Celebrated in Grand Style in Hondo.

### FOUR THOUSAND IN ATTENDANCE

It took two days for Hondo to adequately observe Armistice day. Business was practically suspended with the closing hours of Wednesday of last week. The entire business section was draped with bunting and flags, and for two days—Thursday and Friday—the town forgot the cares of business and devoted itself to pleasure.

About the only feature of special interest on the first day was a football game on College square at three o'clock p. m. between the ex-collegians of Abilene and the ex-collegians of Hondo. In this game the visitors walked away with the game by a score of 13 to 6.

Early Friday morning people began pouring into our little city from every point of the compass, and by noon probably the largest number of people ever assembled in Hondo had gathered for the festivities.

During the early hours of the day the boys and girls were entertained by a number of foot races, sack races, potato races, and other athletic stunts.

A most pleasing and instructive feature of the day's program was a patriotic address by District Judge R. H. Burney. Judge Burney was introduced by District Attorney L. J. Brucks in a few well chosen remarks, and for some forty minutes discussed the duties and rights of the American citizen. We regret that we are unable to give a synopsis of this splendid address.

At 10:58 the entire assemblage stood for two minutes facing the west, in silence and with uncovered heads, out of respect for and in memory of those who fell in the world war. Following this, the United States Infantry band played the Star Spangled Banner.

At noon the crowd was served a free barbecue dinner of meat,

pickles, cake, pie and coffee, and approximately four thousand people were fed. A notable feature of the dinner was the manner of serving it. Instead of the usual long tables, where an unorganized crowd jostled each other in an effort to get the most and the choicest parts of the feast, the crowd was admitted through the west gate of the court house square a few at a time and filed along a roped off passage way where each was handed his lunch on a paper platter by waiters standing at serving tables along the way, and passed on to the lawn where each made himself comfortable in his own way and feasted to his own satisfaction. In this systematic way all were fed without any crowding and with the minimum of waste.

Probably the features that attracted the greatest interest were the athletic events.

In the morning, the Uvalde High School and the Hondo High School girls basketball teams played a spirited game which resulted in a victory for the home team. In the afternoon the Hondo High School football team wrested a victory from the Eagle Pass High School boys. These games are treated in detail below.

The closing event of the celebration was a grand dance at the Hondo Auditorium Friday night at which several hundred couples "tripped the light fantastic" until the usual hour.

A delightful feature of the two day's celebration was the music furnished by the 23rd United States Infantry band which was engaged for the occasion.

The entire two days passed off most harmoniously and successfully, and the local post of the American Legion is deserving of much credit for the splendid manner in which it handled the program for the occasion.

### HONDO HIGH SUPREME.

Defeat of Eagle Pass Gives Locals Right to Meet Corpus Christi for Sectional Championship.

About four thousand people, the largest crowd that ever saw a football game in this section of the country, were thrilled and sent home smiling by the wonderful exhibition of scoring power of the High team against Eagle Pass last Friday, when the locals downed the Border bunch by the overwhelming score of 49 to 7.

From the moment Bendele kicked off for Hondo in the 1st quarter, until the final whistle blew, there was not a doubt in anybody's mind as to which was the superior team. The boys went in there with a sort of a winning spirit, and it looked right from the start that nothing could stop them. They demonstrated this in the very beginning of the game by holding Eagle Pass for downs and scoring a touchdown on the first 3 plays by a beautiful fake criss cross as has never been seen. Lacy kicked goal and from then on it was a procession of gains and touchdowns until the end.

Never did Eagle Pass or the vast crowd expect such an overwhelming defeat. Eagle Pass had come up here heralded as a great fast team that

nothing short of dynamite could stop. They arrived in Hondo very confident that it was they and not Hondo who going to meet the winner of the Corpus Brownsville game. But our fighting "Bulldogs" knew way down in their hearts that they were the superior bunch, and came out on the field determined to show Eagle Pass and the vast assemblage that they couldn't be beaten, and that they would carry Hondo's colors further up the ladder of football victory than any other team that has ever represented this little city. What they did and how, is now history. It is what they will accomplish against Corpus Christi to-day at San Antonio, that all eager fans want to know, and from their great showing to date, we feel confident that our boys will come out on top.

Too much credit cannot be given any member of the team, for the team as a whole played superbly. No one man shone above the rest, and that is a wonderful sign of team work. Coach Emmett de Montel seems to have done wonders since he took hold and too much credit cannot be given him for the way he has handled the team. He has perfected a machine that is hard to stop and how far up they will go is no telling.

If they keep on playing as they have, we don't believe there is any team in Texas that can stop them, and that

### Mrs. Theresa Wolff.

Mrs. Theresa Wolff (nee Rudinger) died at her home here Sunday morning, Nov. 6, 1921. She was born at Heiteren, Ober Alsace, France, Sept. 19, 1836, and at the time of her death she was 85 years, 1 month and 19 days old.

In the year 1844 she came to this country with her parents, landed at Port Lavaca, and thence came immediately to D'Hanis where she resided until her death.

She was married to Mr. Joe Wolff, who preceded her in death in the year 1900. To this union eleven children were born, seven of whom are living, Joe of Sanderson, August of Cline, John, Frank and Emil of D'Hanis; two daughters, Mrs. Joe Zerr of D'Hanis and Mrs. Emrich Wipff of Dille.

Her character was one that all might emulate with credit. Living to a ripe old age she saw Texas transformed from one vast expanse of wild prairies into one of the greatest states in the Union, and if her knowledge of Texas history could have been recorded it would make interesting reading.

Impressive funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the home by Rev. A. Falkenberg, pastor of the Lutheran church of Hondo, after which the remains were taken to the W. O. W. Cemetery, where again Rev. Falkenberg conducted religious service.

Pall bearers were grandsons of the deceased: Wilfred, Richard and Patrick Zerr, Hubert, Raymond and Joe Wolff.

A large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends assembled to pay their respects to the dead.

The Star in connection with a host of friends extends sincere condolence in their hour of deep sorrow.—D'Hanis Star.

isn't being said because the writer is over-enthusiased by their showing.

What the team's supporters must do now, is pull for to-day's victory, and we venture to say that Hondo will practically move to San Antonio to-day. Let's go, everybody, and help cheer the team to victory.

All aboard for League Park. Line forms on the right. Have your change ready.

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### Basket Ball - Uvalde vs. Hondo.

One of the most thrilling moments of Armistice day came in the last third of the girls basketball game when after repeated tying the score, Hondo high threw a succession of goals and won by an 8 majority.

The first score of ten went to Uvalde then 2 more and with that Hondo girls tightened up and tied with their opponents. The Uvalde girls showed a superior skill in flying about the court and escaping their guards, also some sensational goaling but the known quality of persistence and steady team work enabled the Hondo team to emerge the victors. The blue bandanas about the local teams heads and the red scarfs about Uvaldes' would be seen to fall simultaneously in the whirl of dust on the ball and indeed both teams fought like young tigers for victory. Miss Jones, Uvalde coach, referred and Mrs. Cockrell acted as umpire in the first half and then they revised positions for the remainder of the time.

Althea's brilliant goal throwing and Sister Heath's and Julia Frosts' splendid guarding were important factors in winning. The rooters were enthusiastic and Bill Windrow, Guy Newton, A. G. Hollaway, George Carle, Mrs. Emma Leinweber and Miss Pan Gilliam acted as Hondo officials.

### A Surprise.

The Embroidery and Forty-two Club met with Mrs. M. H. Muennink Wednesday afternoon. A most unusual surprise was given one of our members. Not until she heard the strain of the wedding march did Miss Florence Lacy suspect that she was the honor guest.

Little Effie May Russell and Orceuth Fly, Jr., as bride and groom bore a large white basket filled with lovely gifts to the bride-to-be.

The living room and dining room were beautifully decorated in yellow and white. Streamers of yellow and white from the chandelier ending in large bows at the edge of the table, crystal candle holders with yellow candles and a large crystal bowl of lovely yellow and white chrysanthemums decorated the table in the dining room.

After signing a pretty hand painted register the guests proceeded to the dining room where a delightful salad course was served from the buffet.

Assisting Mrs. Muennink in serving were: Mrs. Marvin Beal and Mrs. Ralph Russell at the buffet; Mrs. Earl Starnes and Miss Brewster serving tea; and Mrs. Newell Woods and Mrs. O. A. Fly.

Refreshments were served to the Club members and the following invited guests: Mrs. Lacy, Mrs. Knuckles, Mrs. C. W. Gilliam, Mrs. Lou Heath, Mrs. Willie Muennink, Mrs. Fritz Muennink, Mrs. B. Merriwether, Mrs. R. M. Yantis; Misses Pan Gilliam, Willie Fly, Boyd, Hines, Nettie Fly, Lottie Smith, Brewster, Emma Muennink.

### Mrs. Walter Rothe Entertains.

The beautiful residence of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rothe was the scene of a charming At Home Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. Alice Reinhart and Mrs. Walter Rothe entertained at tea for their house guests, Mrs. Ernest Martin of Pearsall and Mrs. Heims Rothe of Del Rio. The honorees received their callers in the reception hall and Mrs. Rothe and Mrs. Reinhart assisted by Mrs. Hanley and Mrs. Felix Batot met the guests and escorted them to the dining room. Here hot chocolate and sandwiches and wafers were served by the girl friends of the "42" club of which Mrs. Martin had been a member. They were: Misses Josie Rothe, Minnie Wrenette, Lena Reinhart, Johanna Finger and Mesdames Miller, Allbright and Martin Zinsmeyer. The fireplaces, piano and buffet were banked in a profusion of autumn foliage.

Quite a number of guests from D'Hanis, Hondo and Seco motored up for the pleasant afternoon.

### Parent-Teachers Association.

Opened with the reading of the Creed at 4 p. m. Monday, Nov. 14, 1921, Mrs. Roland Chancey presiding. After the business session Prof. Howell read a very favorable report from the High School Supervisor, Mr. Wisely, who visited the school a short time ago.

Mrs. Chancey gave a most interesting report of the Annual Child Welfare Association she attended in San Antonio last week.

Several interesting articles on "Good Speech Week" were read by Mrs. Cockrell, Mrs. Horgert, Miss Brucks and M. S. Chancey.

The 4th grade was again awarded the banner.

Mrs. Roland Gaines, as hostess, then served refreshments of lovely cakes and ice tea with white chrysanthemums as favors. Assisting the hostess were: Mrs. Jacob Reily, Mrs. M. H. Muennink, Mrs. Merriwether, Mrs. Claude Gilliam, Mrs. Cockrell, Mrs. Roland Chancey, Mrs. John Heyen, Mrs. Earl Starnes.

### Thanksgiving Service.

Arrangements are being made for a Union Thanksgiving Service for November 24. Place, the Baptist Church house. Time, 8 to 9 o'clock in the morning. There will be special music, and the Methodist, Presbyterian and Baptist ministers, will each have a part. A cordial invitation is hereby given to all to attend. Plan the day in view of the one purpose for which the special day is set apart.

ARTHUR S. ALLEN.

### Notice to Auto Owners.

The 1922 Seals are now ready to be issued to those desiring same. Avoid the rush in January by getting them now.

F. G. MUENNINK,

17 Tax Collector, Hondo, Texas.

COME TO  
**Castroville**  
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**Thanksgiving Day**  
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**Turkey Supper**  
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30x3	\$ 9.85		\$12.35	\$2.40
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Other sizes priced accordingly. Now is the time to buy your tires and tubes at these prices.

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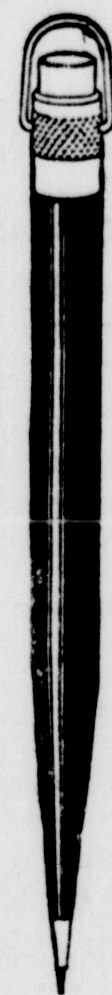
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THE INCREASING BUSINESS of this BANK is an indication that the service it renders is satisfactory. If not already a patron, may we not have your account? We give our customers as liberal accommodations as is consistent with sound banking.

## Windrow's STORE NEWS



**We Have  
Your School  
Eversharp**

Stop in today and get your Eversharp for School. We have them in Red, Blue and Black enamel—take your choice. Remember, this is a genuine Eversharp. It carries enough lead up its sleeve to last all year. It has a handy eraser out in the open ready for use. Three styles: long, 50c; short with ring, 60c; long with clip, 65c. Get yours today.

**EVERSHARP**

**50¢**

**MAG-LAC TOOTH PASTE** corrects acid mouth, prolongs the life and usefulness of the Teeth, cleanses and whitens the Teeth. It is free from grit, and has a remarkably pleasant taste. It is economical—50c tube lasts 21 weeks. Get a tube today.

Stop that rough, red or chapped skin from looking bad and feeling bad by using JERGEN'S LOTION. 35c the bottle here.

Your patronage is appreciated.

**Windrow's**  
THE QUALITY STORE.  
Phone 124

## AT THE Star Theatre

Next Show on  
**Wednesday  
November 23**  
Until further notice we will show a good picture every  
**SATURDAY**

at the low price of  
**15c and 20c.**

**EVERY FRIDAY**  
we will show a Special  
**Goldwyn Picture**

**FRIDAY**  
**NOVEMBER 25**

we will show  
**"Snow Blind"**

### A Story You'll Never Forget.

A young actress, member of a troupe stranded in the snow country, wanders off alone and loses the trail.

Blinded by the unbearable flaming glare reflected in agonizing flashes from the snow, she falls, helpless, into a drift, and after a night of horror is rescued by a giant of a man with a twisted, scarred face.

Then begins as strange and stirring a drama as the camera has ever recorded. In a little cabin, hidden from the world by a ring of towering mountains, love is born and two men and two women come to the turning points of their lives.

Bigger and better than 'The Branding Iron,' this epic of the snows will give you the thrill of a lifetime.



## Send the Children Here

We're glad to have 'em come. We keep a mighty good line of school supplies for their benefit. Pencils, pens, penholders, tablets, ink, and candy, too.

We like to serve the children for two reasons—first, we like 'em; second, they will be our big customers in a few years.

We're building for the future. That's why we're so careful to give you absolutely dependable goods.

WE APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS.

**FLY & MERCER**  
YOUR DRUGGISTS

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Guns at Holloway Bros.  
Safety razors at Holloway Bros.  
Guaranteed Razors at Holloway Bros.  
Cooking Stoves at Holloway Bros.  
Nice lot of crockery at Holloway Bros.

**Loaded Shells at Leinweber's.**

Miss Lois Campbell returned to San Antonio Saturday after a several days visit here.

**FOR SALE**—A pair of gentle young mules. Apply to Ben Reitzer, D'Hanis, Texas. 13-1f

For the common everyday ills of mankind there is nothing to equal Tanlac. W. H. Windrow.

**Iron Beds, Springs and Mattresses at Leinweber's.**

**FOR SALE, CHEAP**—Royal piano, walnut, slightly used. Apply at this office. 17

**FOR SALE**—A few M. B. Turkey Hens, May hatched, \$5.00. Two 1 1/2 year-old hens at \$6.00. Phone Miss Lia Folk, 965-21, Hondo. 15-1f.

**FOUND**—Near the post office, a bunch of keys. Owner can have property by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

**WANTED**—Man with car to sell low priced GRAHAM TIRES. \$130.00 per week and commissions. GRAHAM TIRE CO., 3532 Boulevard, Benton Harbor, Mich. 17-1f.

**FOUND**—A lady's hat. Picked up near the printing office. Owner can have property by calling at this office, identifying the same and paying for this notice.

**LET CARTER CLEAN YOUR CLOTHES.** FONE 179

Accordion, box and knife plaiting; hemstitching and picoting; buttons and buttonholes made. Mrs. H. B. Houston, Uvalde, Texas. 15-1f.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Zinsmeyer and Mr. and Mrs. David Davis of San Antonio were the guests of the ladies' brother, Adolph Haass, and family and other relatives here last week end, and took in the Armistice Day celebration.

**Jennings' — for Cleaning, Pressing, Dyeing, Accordion and Box Pleating, Hemstitching and Picoting. Phone 125.**

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Miller, Jr., of Robstown, Texas, are the happy parents of an 8 pound baby girl, born on Nov. 9, 1921. They named the little lady Hermione Estelle. Mrs. Miller will be known to her many friends in Hondo as Miss Estelle Berry.

If it's good fresh HOUSE PAINT you are looking for—guaranteed to give satisfaction—any color of the rainbow, at \$3.50 per gallon, we have it. Come in and let us show you why it is always fresh stock. HONDO LUMBER CO. 5-1f

Mrs. Albert Bendele and son, Rudolph, of Dunlap, and Mrs. Bendele's daughter, Mrs. August Schmidt and daughter, Miss Adele, of Sansom came through Hondo Monday on their way back to Dunlap from Phil Jagge's ranch, where they had been visiting several days. They paid the Anvil Herald office a pleasant call.

A detachment of the 46th U. S. Infantry, consisting of three companies, a machine gun squad, a howitzer unit and the regimental band, all under command of Col. Bradford, pitched camp on College Square Saturday morning and remained over until Monday morning. The band gave a very delightful concert Sunday afternoon. The troops were enroute from Eagle Pass to Fort Sam Houston where the regiment will be disbanded and the men transferred to other units.

Safety razors at Holloway Bros.  
Cooking Stoves at Holloway Bros.  
Mrs. Joe Zerr was a pleasant caller at the Anvil Herald office Tuesday.

Nice lot of crockery at Holloway Bros.

Miss Jessie Blocker spent last week-end in San Antonio.

Get it at Windrow's Drug Store. Telephone 124. 1f

County Surveyor H. V. Haass spent last week at Cliff surveying.

**Take it to Jennings.**

Devote Paint It satisfies. Holloway Bros.

Misses Lurine and Clara Decker returned Sunday from a visit to their aunt, Mrs. J. E. Blackaller.

Miss Mary Starnes is here from San Antonio visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Earl Starnes.

Nice lot of crockery at Holloway Bros.

R. L. Mumme and son, Stanley, were pleasant callers at this office Saturday.

**FOR SALE**—Good home-made molasses, 65 cents per gallon. Phone R. L. Mumme. 17-2f. E. O. W.

District Attorney L. J. Brucks is attending district court in Bandera this week.

It would be a hopeless task to try to mention all of the Armistice Day visitors to our city.

Jul. Brucks and ex-commissioner Bernard Brucks were Hondo business visitors Monday.

**Your pretty Curtains deserve Kirsch Flat Rods. At Leinweber's.** 11

Mrs. E. W. Lacy and daughter, Miss Florence, spent the early part of the week in San Antonio.

Miss Jennie Mae Dowdy of San Antonio was the guest of Miss Irene Hudspeth last week-end.

Caughy Horger was here from Dallas last week-end, visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Horger.

Dr. Dan A. Russell of San Antonio is visiting his brother, Mr. Ralph Russell and family for a few days.

**FOUND**—Bunch of keys on key-ring. Owner can recover same by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

Miss Maggie Langfeld, editor of The D'Hanis Star, and her assistant, Miss Mattie Koch, were here from D'Hanis Tuesday.

Mrs. R. J. Noonan, Mrs. Oscar Miller and Mrs. Roland Chancey attended the Mothers' Congress which convened in San Antonio last week.

Banish that awful insomnia that worries you every night. Let your sleep be restful and refreshing. Tanlac does it. W. H. Windrow.

**FOUND**—On Armistice Day, a child's coat. Owner can secure same by calling at this office, identifying property and paying for this notice. 17

Mrs. Ed de Montel returned from San Antonio Saturday where she had been with her little grandson, Montel Williamson.

Leo Brown was here from Del Rio the first of the week and while here purchased a car-load of baled cane from Dr. H. J. Meyer.

Registered Big type Poland China pigs either sex farrowed by a granddaughter of the Yankee, a \$40.000 boar. 8 weeks old, \$15.00 each. Leo Bohl, Devine, Tex. 15-1f.

We want all your turkeys. We can give you top market prices, at your home, or in town, we also take your own honest scale weights. Phone 132 or see us for business. L. Barrientes & Son. 17-

Rows and rows of good things on 22nd, Dancing and lots of merry play. All this fun at our school house.

In honor of Thanksgiving Day. Box supper and dance, Vandenberg school house, November 22, 1921, 8 p. m.

Guns at Holloway Bros.  
Cooking Stoves at Holloway Bros.  
Guaranteed Razors at Holloway Bros.  
Devote Paint. It satisfies. Holloway Bros.

**Take it to Jennings, Phone 125. 44-1f.**

**Window Shades at Leinweber's.**

Devote paint. It satisfies. Holloway Bros. 9.

**Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases at Leinweber's.**

A big bundle of old newspapers for five cents. Apply at this office. 17-1f

**FOR SALE**—Good pair of gentle work mules. For particulars see Earl Boon. 13-1f.

**FOR SALE**—Mesquite and Oak cord wood. Phone 960 F-31. Henry G. Boehle. 11-1f.

**LOST**—A Gold Link Cuff Button, on Saturday, Oct. 15th. Reward. R. M. RUSSELL.

**Kirsch Flat Curtain Rods stay like new for years. At Leinweber's.**

See B. L. Robinson, agent for KASCH COTTON SEED, and let him explain the good points. 4-1f

A comparatively new Bel Canto phonograph for sale at a bargain. See it at Wilkinson's candy kitchen. 14-1f

Tanlac is purely vegetable and is made from the most beneficial roots, herbs and barks known to science. W. H. Windrow.

Mail orders promptly attended to. Phone or write us for any and every thing usually sold in a Drug store. W. H. Windrow.

**LET CARTER CLEAN YOUR CLOTHES.** FONE 179

Mrs. Gus. Thoms and children of San Antonio were visiting Mrs. Thoms mother, Mrs. Theresa Westfall, here last week.

Dr. Lee Hume, of the Marine Hospital Service, and daughter, were here from Eagle Pass for the Armistice Day football game.

Mrs. J. A. Starnes and daughter, Miss Mary, were here this week from San Antonio, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Starnes.

If the bowels do not act regularly, assist them with an occasional dose of Herbine. It is a fine bowel tonic and laxative. Price 60c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Judge and Mrs. W. C. Douglas, formerly of Eagle Pass but now of San Antonio, were among the out-of-town spectators at the football game here Armistice Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Schweers and sons, Milton and Roy, spent last week-end in San Antonio, returning to Hondo Monday where they are the guests of relatives.

C. E. McCashin and Mr. Clark, of the State Board of Water Engineers, passed through Hondo Tuesday from Austin en route to the Pecos to take some water measurements.

Among the prominent visitors to the Armistice Day Celebration in Hondo were Hon. R. H. Burney, District Judge, from Kerrville, and Hon. H. P. Hornby former Representative in the Legislature from Uvalde.

Mrs. Mary McCrocklin Kercheville, aged 84 years, mother of a former popular Medina County citizen, the late A. J. Kercheville of Devine, died in San Antonio the early part of this week and was buried at Kyle, Texas.

Judge John R. Sanford and Mrs. Sanford, S. P. Simpson, president of the Border National Bank, and Mrs. Simpson, and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bonnett, all of Eagle Pass and all having representatives on the football team of the border city, were here for the football game on Armistice Day.

The Fine Arts Mixed Quartet gave a very entertaining little musical concert under the auspices of the local post of the American Legion Thursday night of last week at the Auditorium. This was the first of several such treats which the Legion boys have arranged for Hondo's music lovers for the near future.

The Anvil Herald got its figures somewhat magnified last week and had Medina County farmers producing "a heap too much corn." But in as much as it was just plain dry corn and not corn whiskey no one can accuse us of having "seen double" and as long as no one starts a row about it we are perfectly willing to forgive ourselves for the error.

The Black Creek community had quite a chapter of accidents this week. Howard Roberson, son of Commissioner Roberson of the Devine District, was accidentally shot in the right leg with a load of bird-shot, suffering an ugly but not necessarily dangerous flesh wound. Eddie Morris was shot in the left arm with a 32 calibre rifle and suffered a fracture of the bone of the upper arm. These were Armistice Day hunting accidents. On Monday of this week a young son of Mr. John Killough was accidentally shot in the hand with a target rifle.

## Take it to Jennings.

Next time ask for REDSKIN TUBES. Devote Paint. It satisfies. Holloway Bros.

Wm. F. Neumann, accompanied by his nephew, Raymond Neumann, and Herman Schumacher, of San Antonio, spent last week with relatives in Utopia.

In response to a telegram announcing the critical illness of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Parker left Tuesday for Franklin, Texas, to be with and minister to the afflicted one.

**FOR SALE**—About 20 head of cows and calves, all in good condition. Calves are eight to ten months old. Apply to H. V. Haass, Hondo, or Henry Haass, Castroville.

Mrs. Walter Mask was taken to San Antonio Monday for a surgical operation. The people of Hondo sincerely hope that the good lady will soon again be enjoying her normal health.

The Star Theatre was crowded to its capacity last Saturday night for the Gertrude Atherton feature picture, "Don't Neglect your Wife. Mrs. Haralson is advertising elsewhere in this paper some important changes in her program at the star.

Rubbed into the skin for rheumatism, neuralgia, contracted muscles, sprains or lameness. Ballard's Snow Liniment goes right through the flesh to the bone, easing pain and removing the cause. It is a powerful pain relief. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

## A WARM PAPER

Gets K. Lamity's Harpoon 1 year, for 2 years \$1.00. The Harpoon Paper Printed THE HARPOON, San Antonio, Tex.

## DANCE AT QUIHI Gun Club Hall November 26th

Good Music, good Lights and Brand New Floor. Everybody Invited

## Spend a Day---A Week at JOSKE'S

## YOU, TOO, WILL LIKE TO TRADE HERE

Hundreds of out-of-town customers come to this store season-in and season-out to "lay-in" their entire season's needs for Home and family.

THEY SAVE--EVERY TIME

You'll find this store with over 100 departments, can care for your every want. Come, spend the day with us.

IF YOU CAN'T GET AWAY EVERY WEEK, SHOP BY MAIL

There's real pleasure in trading at a store that offers you REAL values in every department—and that keeps just a pace ahead in men's, women's and children's apparel.

EVERYTHING FOR EVERYBODY AND EVERY HOME

**Joske's Co.**  
San Antonio, Texas

TRAINED MAIL ORDER SHOPPERS—AT YOUR SERVICE

## NOTICE!

I HAVE moved into the building formerly occupied by Jennings, the tailor, and am better prepared to serve my customers than ever.

Anticipate your gifts for XMAS early and get a better choice. Gifts for everyone.

V. A. CROW, - Jeweler

E. R. LEINWEBER, Pres. H. F. KING, Cashier.  
JOE NEY Vice-Pres. J. R. CHANCEY, Asst. Cash.

**HONDO STATE BANK**  
A GUARANTY FUND BANK

The non-interest bearing and unsecured deposits of this bank are protected by the State Bank Guaranty Fund

**Ford**  
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

## With Winter, too, comes the Rush Season for Ford Cars.

Each year thousands have been compelled to wait for their cars after placing their orders. Sometimes they have waited many months.

By placing your order now, you will be protecting yourself against delay. You will be able to get reasonably prompt delivery on your Ford car. And you will have it to enjoy when you want it most--this winter.

Don't put off placing your order.

**YANTIS MOTOR CO.**  
HONDO, - - TEXAS



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HONDO, TEXAS

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DENTAL SURGEON  
HONDO, TEXAS  
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Continued  
During the hearing of the various witnesses Gardiner had attempted an air of impersonal interest, but with no great success. His demeanor, studied though it was, betrayed a certain anxiety and impatience. He was dressed just as he had dismounted from his horse, having removed only his hat. But he smiled confidently when asked for his evidence, and told his story calmly and collectedly.

It is quite true that he was associated with Riles and Mr. Harris in the coal mine investment. He was acting for the owner of the property, but had seen that a large profit was to be made from the turn-over, and had been glad to place the opportunity in the way of two old friends.

"I feel a grave responsibility in this whole matter," Gardiner protested, with some emotion. "I feel that I am, at least indirectly, responsible for the serious loss that has befallen Mr. Harris, and for the injury to his son. But when you have heard the whole circumstances you will agree that the situation was one I could not possibly have foreseen. Let me give them to you in some detail.

"The day before yesterday, in company with Riles, I met Mr. Harris and his son, and found that their money had arrived. The remittance was not as large as they expected, but I believed that I could raise some money privately, and that we would still be able to put the deal through. I advised against losing any time, as I knew that if the owner should meet anyone else interested in a proposition of a similar nature we would find it much harder to make a bargain with him. It was arranged that the two Mr. Harrises were to drive ahead, taking the money with them, and that Riles and I would follow. We were to overtake them at the old building where this unfortunate tragedy occurred. As it happened, I had a sick horse at the ranch, and as I was delayed in getting some medicine for him, Riles suggested that he would ride out to the ranch—that is, where I live—and wait for me there. Up to that time I had no suspicions, and I agreed to that.

"Well, when I reached the ranch, I could find nothing of Riles, and, on further search, I could find nothing of Travers, who was working for me. Their riding horses were gone, and so were their saddles and bridles. I found that Travers had taken his revolver out of the house. I confess my suspicions were then somewhat aroused, but I found myself with the sick horse on my hands, and I could not very well leave the place. Of course, I never thought of anything so bad as has happened, or I would not have considered the horse, but I admit I was at a loss to understand their conduct. But when I heard, early this morning, what had happened, it was all clear to me."

During the latter part of this evidence Travers had fixed his eyes on Gardiner, but the witness had steadily avoided him. Jim was now convinced that he was the victim, not of a coincidence, but a plot. Of course, he could give his evidence, which would be directly contradictory to that of Gardiner, but he was already under suspicion, and anything he might say would be unconsciously discounted by the jurors. But he began calmly, a quiet smile still playing about his thin lips and clean teeth.

"I am sorry I cannot corroborate all the last witness has said," he commenced. "I did not leave the ranch with Riles; on the contrary, I was fishing down by the river when I saw Riles and Gardiner ride by. Gardiner was talking and I heard him mention Mr. Harris' name. I worked for Mr. Harris not long ago, but I did not know he was in this part of the country. I heard Gardiner say—" Jim colored a little, and stopped.

"Well, what did you hear him say?" said the coroner. "That is what we are anxious to know."

"I heard him say something about Mr. Harris losing all his money that night, in the old shanty up the river road. 'Strange things have happened up there,' Riles, he said. That made me suspicious, and I hurried back to the ranch, determined to follow them. I found that my revolver had been taken. I armed myself as best I could, and got out. When I came near the

building which Gardiner had mentioned I dismounted and approached it carefully. It was very dark. Suddenly I was attacked from behind. A sack was thrown over my head, and I was overpowered, and bound. I don't know how long I was kept in that condition, but when at last the sack was removed I was in the presence of Sergeant Grey."

With the progress of Travers' narrative all eyes had turned to Gardiner, but, whatever his inward emotions, he outwardly showed no signs of discomfiture. "This seems to be a day of strange tales," he said to the coroner, "and the last we have heard is stranger than the first. Of course, it is quite absurd on the face of it. The suggestion that I would be a party to robbing Mr. Harris of \$20,000, and so bulk a transaction in which I stood to make a profit of more than twice that amount, is too ridiculous for discussion. I didn't say so before, because it didn't seem to bear on the case, but I have at home a telegram which I received a few days ago from the New York investors, offering me a personal commission of 20 per cent on the transaction if I was able to get this property for them at the price they had offered. So, from a purely selfish point of view, you see where my interests lay. But there are other reasons for this fine tale which you have just heard. To spare the feelings of some present, I intended to say nothing of them, but if I must tell what I know, why, I must tell what I know. This man Travers was a farm hand working for Harris on his farm back in Manitoba. Harris is—or was—well-to-do, and Travers accordingly mustered up an attachment for his daughter. This the young lady, it seems, was foolish enough to return. They—"

"That'll do, Gardiner," interrupted Travers, in a quiet, vibrant voice. "You are getting away from the subject."

"On the contrary, I'm getting close to the subject—a little too close for your comfort, it seems."

"I am not investigating any family closets," said the coroner. "You will have to show the connection between these matters and the inquiry we are making."

"I will do that in a moment, sir," Gardiner returned. "But I cannot show the connection until I have shown the events that are connected. Travers had trouble with Harris and had a fight with Allan. Then he and the young lady ran away. They have both been in this part of the country for some time. But Travers' plan to inherit the Harris property was upset on account of the girl quarreling with her parents, and his ardor seems to have cooled off noticeably. But he was as keen for the property as ever. Riles was a weakling in the hands of a man like Travers, and no doubt he betrayed the fact that Harris was taking his money with him into the hills. Then the two of them framed up the plan which has resulted in the death of one and the arrest of the other."

During these exchanges the sympathies of the jurors seemed to veer from side to side. The theories propounded were so contradictory that opinions wavered with each sentence of evidence. But a new bolt was ready for the shooting.

"Mr. Coroner," said Beulah, rising and pointing at Gardiner, "will you make that man take his gauntlets off?"

There seemed an instant recession of the blood from Gardiner's face. But it was for the instant only. "My hat is off," he said, with a smile. "Is that sufficient?"

"Make him take them off!" Beulah insisted.

"There is no rule against wearing gauntlets in a coroner's court," said the coroner. "I do not see the point of your objection."

"Make him take them off," said Beulah.

"As the young lady insists," said the coroner, turning to Gardiner, "I suggest that you comply with her request."

"I should be glad to," said Gardiner, "but the fact is I have a sore hand. When I was giving the horse medicine the night Travers left me alone the brute nipped me a little, and I have been keeping it covered up since."

"Make him take them off," said Beulah.

"Why should you be so insistent?" said the coroner. "Surely it makes no difference—"

"Only this difference. You have heard my father's evidence of the fight in the old house. The man with whom he fought will have tooth marks in his hand. Make him take them off. Or if you won't—look at these hands." She seized Jim's hands in hers and held them up before the coroner and the jury. "Any tooth marks there? Now make this other man show his."

For a moment all eyes were on Travers' hands. In that moment Gardiner rushed for the open window, and in another instant would have been through it, had not the quick arm of the policeman intercepted.

"Not so fast, my man," said Grey. "Now we will see this horse bite of yours." Gardiner made no further resistance, and he drew the glove from his hand. There was a fresh scar on the right thumb.

The coroner examined it carefully. When he spoke it was in the voice of a judge delivering sentence. "That is not a horse bite," he said. "Those are the marks of human teeth!"

Gardiner smiled a faint smile. "Well, what are you going to do about it?" he said.

"We are going to put you in Travers' place and tender him our apologies," said the coroner.

But Travers had crowded into the center of the circle. "Gardiner," he said, "if you weren't under arrest I'd thrash you here and now. But you can at least do something to square yourself. Where is that money?"

"That's right, Jim. Everyone thinks of what is nearest his heart."

"You scoundrel! You know why it is near my heart. You have robbed Mr. Harris of all that he had spent his whole life for. You will have no chance to use that money yourself. You are sure of your living for the next 20 years. Why not show that you are not all bad—that you have some human sentiments in you? It seems as little as you can do."

"There may be something in what you say," said Gardiner. "I have a slip of paper here with the key to the secret."

He reached with his finger and thumb in his vest pocket and drew out a small folded paper. This he unfolded very slowly and deliberately before the eyes of the onlookers. It contained a small quantity of white powder. Before any hand could reach him he had thrown his head back and swallowed it.

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# Our Castroville Page

## Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, NOVEMBER 17, 1921

ED. HUEHNER, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

A pleasant surprise was tendered Mr. Aug. Bader Thursday morning, Nov. 10th, in honor of the gentleman's sixty-sixth anniversary. Guests began coming in from all directions. At twelve o'clock a fine dinner was announced. The tables were arranged in a T shape and were loaded down with lots of good eats, to which ample justice was done. There were two birthday cakes placed in the middle of the table. One contained sixty-six lighted candles, which were all blown out, in one blow, which signifies that Mr. Bader has passed sixty-six prosperous years. The afternoon was pleasantly whiled away, by the men folks playing cards or dominoes, while the ladies indulged in conversation. At three o'clock lunch was served, and supper at five, whereupon the guests wended their way homeward, one and all wishing Mr. Bader many happy returns of his natal day. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. August Bader, Mr. and Mrs. Seb. Tschirhart, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Bader from here, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bader, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bader and Mrs. Emil Biry, from Eiry, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bader from Dunley, and Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Boehme from Medina Lake, and the Misses Ella, Lucille and Alma Bader and Elvira Boehme, and Messrs. Gabe Tschirhart, Elmer, Ralph, Mathias, Alvin, August and Richard Bader, and Gerald and Clinton Boehme.

Fire destroyed an old house, situated in the western part of town and owned by Mrs. Peter Jungmann, early Monday morning. We learn that Mr. Louis Scherrer had stored about 500 bales of Sorghum and Johnson Grass therein, which was totally destroyed. The origin of the fire is unknown.

The Married Folks' Dance at Wernette's Garden Sunday night was largely attended and very much enjoyed.

About 400 of Uncle Sam's boys (infantry), arrived Monday afternoon and pitched camp across the river. They are enroute to Camp Travis.

Mrs. Joe Schott was taken to Santa Rosa Hospital in San Antonio Friday morning for treatment. She was accompanied by her husband and mother, Mrs. Louis Tschirhart, and Ed. Tschirhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schweers of Uvalde visited relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Meyer of Dunlay were here for the married folks' dance Sunday night.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haby of Dunlay, a fine boy, one day this week.

Mrs. Henry Steinle, is visiting relatives in Pearsall.

Miss Clara Jungman spent the week-end in San Antonio, returning home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hutzler spent Armistice day in Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Burell and son, Robert, and daughter, Beatrice, Miss Alice Geant and Miss Dorothy Lea Green spent Armistice day in Hondo.

Miss Lenora Tondre of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Muennink and baby of Hondo spent Sunday here with Mrs. Emil Tondre.

Mrs. Henry Bourquin and daughter, Miss Fannie, and Master Hugo were at Hondo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Biediger and Alfred Ahr and family spent Friday in Hondo.

Rev. and Mrs. Walter Kralik are the proud parents of a fine baby boy which was born Monday morning, November 14th, 1921.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Wurzbach were here from Riomedina Sunday.

Miss Patricia FitzSimon was out from San Antonio Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Cecilia Steidle was at Hondo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brown and children spent Friday in Hondo.

Mrs. Joe Schott and daughters, Misses Clara and Selma, and Oscar Schott were here from Riomedina Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bader and Mr. and Mrs. Serephine Jungman of Hondo spent Sunday here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex L. Haby and daughter, Miss Selma, of Riomedina were here Sunday.

Robert Schott was here from Riomedina Saturday with pecans.

Mrs. Robert de Montel and children spent Friday with Mrs. Louis Wurzbach at Riomedina.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bohl have moved to town from their ranch.

Alfred Mann and family and Mesdames M. Suehs and Joe Mann were at Hondo for the celebration.

Miss Edna Wurzbach returned from a week's stay in Hondo with August Schuehle and family.

Miss Agnes Haby was here from San Antonio visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubery Holmes of San Antonio spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Holmes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bohl and daughter, Eloise, were guests of relatives in San Antonio the week end.

Albert Kempf and family were over at Hondo Friday.

Mrs. K. B. Holmes and little daughter, Schirley, and Miss Mabel Bouden were guests of relatives in San Antonio last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Haby of Dunlay spent Sunday here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Wurzbach and daughter, Miss Bernice, of Cliff visited here Sunday.

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## EDITORIALS BY THE EDITOR.

TO BE HAPPY. YOU'VE got to be straight to be happy. You've got to be square as a die. Through wrong may come infinite pleasures. But they fade, and they fly. You've got to take life at its noblest. If you want to have gladness that counts; Want the verve and the zeal of the spirit That lifts you along as it mounts. And, oh, how it pays out of goodness To draw for each day as we strive Some measure of clean, healthy gladness. On our work, and for being alive! You've got to be true to be happy. Be true to yourself over all, And be blind to the lure of the evil, And deaf to its powerful call.

To set up high standards and keep them. With the records so straight and so true, For nothing can ever condemn them; If that is your creed, it will do. You've got to be clean to be happy, You've got to be steadfast and pure If you want what life gives that is earnest, That will help and will hold and endure. — Baltimore Sun.

To be happy is to be useful! LIFE'S richest achievement is to be happy!

Those who in life's race would succeed Must hit the up grades with some speed!

FAIR success ever with its price is bought; Those who've built it, with might and main have wrought!

To be missed by those you leave behind and to be welcomed by those you find are the sweetest consolations in life's tribulations vouchsafed to mankind!

WHEN Rome became a nation of pleasure-lovers and her agriculture was degraded to a condition of vasa lege and slavery, her strength was gone and her glory had begun to fade. A certain amount of pleasure is necessary to preserve the balance in the human machine, but when a foot ball hero is hailed with more acclaim than the wisest student of history's lessons and whole communities all over the country give days and days to athletic sports while harvests rot in the fields because the laborers are few thoughtful people might well pause.

OF the fifty counties in the United States which, according to the 1920 census, led in live-stock and crop values, Texas has four. California leads with 13, and can claim first, second and fourth place, while Maine, on the opposite side of the continent and with only one county, holds third place. Los Angeles County, California, is first with a valuation of \$71,579,899; Fresno County, California, is second with a valuation of \$55,110,101; and Aroostook County, Maine, is third with a valuation of \$54,376,256. The four Texas counties come in the following order and rank: Williamson 30th, with a valuation of \$22,324,436; Ellis, 39th, with a valuation of \$20,375,681; Fannin, 42nd, with a valuation of \$20,163,821; and Lamar, 49th, with a valuation of \$19,805,636. Only California with thirteen, New York with seven and Illinois with five exceed Texas, while both Pennsylvania and South Carolina each have the same number as Texas.

A WAR-SICKENED, tax-burdened world has its eyes on the disarmament conference now in session at Washington, and an earnest prayer is going up from the heart of every one that something may be accomplished that will lessen the burdens of militarism now on the shoulders of the people. But it is well not to expect too much. The money lenders, who, from the days when they desecrated the temple of the holy city to the present time, have fattened their coffers with blood money on the follies and misfortunes of the peoples of the world, will be there to see that nothing is done to prevent their financing belligerent peoples. No country could long finance war preparations without aid from the capitalists of other countries. Will this nefarious practice be stopped by the nations in conference? Well, don't be too disappointed if they don't. Then, too, if individuals and corporations were stopped from manufacturing and dealing in war munitions and each nation was compelled to produce its own war supplies and no profits accrued therefrom to private interests another great incentive for war preparations would be removed. Will the nations do this, and make it impossible for such enterprises as the Krupp gun works to longer exist and pile up swollen individual fortunes while building engines of murder and destruction? Well, if it is true that the reason why the Allied aviators were not allowed to blow up those same Krupp gun works during the progress of the war was because British capital was invested in them, it would be folly to expect too much at this time along this line. But because we can scarcely expect the best and most that the conference might do, let us not lose hope that it may at least accomplish a little in relieving a weary world of its burden of militarism.

## Fletcherized Farm Facts. BY FLETCHER DAVIS

Of course, it is easy to become unduly alarmed and to grow panicky in the presence of a threatened danger. The pink boll worm, which now threatens to spread over the entire cotton belt, may not prove as destructive as is feared, practicable means of controlling them may be discovered by our entomologists, or a natural enemy in the insect world may develop to hold them in check. But all of these contingencies are as yet but hopes of future development. Cheering as hope is, it requires something more tangible and assuring upon which to plan one's course of action in the struggle for life's necessities. Plans should be developing now to substitute such crops as promise any profit for the less safe cotton crop and to make the cotton crop a purely surplus crop with a minimum acreage.

When feed is abundant and cheap and when purebred live stock can be had at almost the price of scrubs is the time to go into the live stock business. The meat supply of the future will be produced on the stock farms of the country and will be a product of intensive production and feeding. The days of the open range animal are numbered.

In stock farming, as in any other business, the first prime requisite for success is economic production—the keeping of costs down to the minimum while maintaining production at the maximum.

Economical production of live-stock requires, first of all, good breeds; breeds that will produce the maximum returns in growth in the minimum time and with the least consumption of feed. Scientific breeders have sought these ends and as a result have developed our various breeds, each filling its specific purpose. The nearer the breed approaches the ideal the more popular is that breed.

Next to the quality of the breed to begin with, the second requisite of successful stock-farming is an abundance of cheap and wholesome feed. Southwestern stock men have given even less attention to this than to the improvement of breeds because of the abundance of open range and the mild weather conditions. As the live stock business becomes more of a stock farming and less of a ranching enterprise more attention will be given to this feature of the business.

Whenever soil and weather conditions will permit the sowing of fall grain, such as oats, barley and rye, in time for the crop to put on an early growth these crops afford excellent winter grazing for all kinds of live stock without any detriment to the grain crop to be harvested later, provided the grain is pastured with discretion. The succulent green feed will help materially to maintain the live stock in a thrifty healthful condition. This practice is coming into more general usage all over the country.

Even if you are not so situated as to grow grain, a patch sowed near enough to the barnyard for the pigs and the poultry to graze on will afford profitable returns in pasturage alone.

It is too painfully true that the man who has live stock that must be sold is at the mercy of the packing houses. But the ranchman who has not overstocked his range and the stock-farmer who has an abundance of feed still has a chance to grow out. And the farmer who can butcher his own meat and lard supply on his own farm can provide it at the cost of production and thus "stand from under" the middle men's and the packers' extortions which the man who buys his supplies must pay.

There once came under the writer's observation the workings of a community beef club, which, while somewhat crude, was successful in its working and might prove helpful in a small way in disposing of a part of the surplus beefs of the farming community to a profitable advantage. The working of the club was very simple. Eight of the neighbors joined together. A certain day, usually each Saturday, was designated as butchering day. On that day, the eight neighbors assembled at the home of one of their number, slaughtered a beef and divided it into eight parts, and each went home with an eighth of a beef. The owner of the beef retained the hide, tallow, etc. On the next butchering day they assembled at the home of another member and the same thing was done. The man who got the lower half of the left fore quarter the first time got the upper half the next time, and so on until by the time the eighth had slaughtered each man had received a whole beef. No favorites had been played with the "choice cuts" and no family had been over supplied with fresh beef at any one time.

It works successfully where neighbors agree and where they can each furnish beeves for slaughter of approximately the same size.

There are many ways of utilizing the surplus live stock of the farm to better advantage than did man who spent all the profit of a load of sheep for one beef to him in a restaurant. The full man with his mind on the ties of his business will find "way."

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THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MEDINA.

To those indebted to, or holding claims against the estate of Charles Geo. Bendele, deceased.

The undersigned executors of the last will and testament of Charles Geo. Bendele, deceased, having been duly appointed as such executors of the estate of Charles Geo. Bendele, deceased, late of Medina County, Texas, by R. J. Noonan, Judge of the County Court of said County, on the 5th day of October 1921, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate, to present them to our attorney, V. H. Glicker at his office over the First National Bank building in Hondo, Medina County, Texas, who will receive such claims in our behalf and submit them to us for approval or disapproval. All claims must be properly proved up as required by law.

This the 31st day of October A. D. 1921.

MRS. CALLIE BENDELE.

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## Program Senior League.

Sunday, November 20th.

Subject, "Memorial Service for Bishop R. Lambuth."

Leader—Lucille Woolis.

Hymn 107, "Joy to the World."

Prayer.

Hymn, Abide with me.

Scripture reading, Revelation XIV, 13; John I, 22.

Hymn.

Reading, "Prayer by Bishop Lambuth"—Willie Belle McClaugherty.

Sole—Mrs. George Smith.

Talk—"The Lambuth Home and Early Training"—Elizabeth Fly.

Reading, "Pioneer of three Continents"—Origen Crow.

Talk, "Lambuth the Man"—Travis Kinney.

Announcements.

Hymn, Work for the Night is Coming.

League Benediction.

## Program Junior League.

November 20, 3 p. m.

Leader—Lois Butler.

Song, No. 29.

Bible reading, Acts 10, 34, 35.

Roll call answered with Bible verse.

Minutes.

Lord's Prayer.

Responsive reading, No. 265.

Bible Story—Ruth McClaugherty.

Song No. 183.

Bible Story—Janet Kinney.

Bible questions by the boys.

Benediction.

Please bring Bibles to League.

## Methodist Church.

Christian services Sunday: Sunday School, 9:45, a. m. Junior League 3 p. m. Senior League, 4 p. m. Sermon by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Subject for the morning hour "Bible doctrine on the character of Love." At the evening hour, "Biblical Exegesis of the Parable of talents."

We kindly urge that all Methodists be in their place, at their church. And to the general public we extend a most cordial invitation. Visitors and strangers are welcome.

GEORGE G. SMITH, Minister.

## Farm Loans.

The Hondo National Farm Loan Association, H. E. Haass, secretary-treasurer, Hondo, Texas, representing 123 borrowers with \$466,030 borrowed, is prepared to make farm loans anywhere in Medina county, under the Federal Loan Act, at 6 per cent interest and 1 per cent 33 year amortization repayment plan. 14,334 Texas farmers have taken advantage of this system of borrowing—over forty-two million dollars. Why not you? 3

## Notice.

The religious exercises of a Mission will be held at the Mexican Church from Sunday, November 20 to Sunday, November 27. The Mission will be conducted by Rev. P. Centurioni, O. M. L. of Houston. The undersigned will be very grateful to the people who are employing Mexicans for any facility afforded them for attending at least some of the Services.

(REV.) FRANCIS PALLANCHE,

Pastor.

## Catholic Services.

Sunday, 7 o'clock, Holy Communion; 9:30, High Mass and Sermon; 10:45, Sunday School; 7:30 p. m., Evening Services. 11:00, Mass at the Mexican Church with Sermon in Spanish.

Holy Mass is celebrated every morning during the week at 8 o'clock.

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## The Baptists.

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Regular Services begin at 10:30 a. m. every Sunday.

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